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In re Application of Myers et al.
Application Number 09/886,271 Filed June 22, 2001
For NON-GENETIC BASED PROTEIN DISEASE MARKERS
Art Unit 1653 Examiner Hope A. ROBINSON.
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filling a reply in the above identified application.
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